

October 11, 2024

Via ECF

The Honorable Arun Subramanian
United States District Judge
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007

Re: *United States et al. v. Live Nation Entertainment, Inc., et al.*, 24-CV-3973 (AS)
Joint Letter-Motion for a Conference

Dear Judge Subramanian:

The Court ordered the parties to “meet and confer on dates for another conference in late October.” ECF 293.

The parties have conferred, and Plaintiffs are available for an in-person or remote conference on October 29 or October 30 and an in-person conference on November 12. Defendants are available for a remote conference on October 29 or October 30 and an in-person conference on November 12. Defendants respectfully request that, if the Court schedules the conference for October 30, the conference take place before 2 p.m.

The parties have also attached the agreed-upon deposition protocol as **Exhibit A**, with 35 hours for Plaintiffs’ 30(b)(6) deposition of Defendants, consistent with the Court’s ruling at the September 27 conference.

Respectfully submitted,

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